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“And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.” *Psalm 1:3*



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The Rivers

Thought of the Month: “Hold on, Jesus is Coming”

“But that which ye have already hold fast till I come.” (Rev.2:25)

I want to thank God for Jesus Christ our Savior. Saints of God, we all see that we are living in the last days; Jesus is coming soon. With all that is going on in the world today, we must remember that we have been saved for a purpose. We must build ourselves up in the faith

because the enemy is after our faith.

God has called us to live holy, love one another, be His witnesses and do His Will. When Jesus comes, He will have his reward with Him to give every man according to what he has done for Him. **(Rev. 22:12)**. Saints keep looking for the appearing of Jesus. Hold on to your faith!! Don't let go!! Watch,

Fight and Pray!!

Rev. Wallace Hines Sr.

“... Nevertheless when the Son of man cometh, shall He find faith on the earth?

Luke 18:8b,c

Word of Encouragement: “Press”

The apostle Paul made it very plain in **Phil. 3:13-14**, “Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.” Beloved, no matter our circumstances or situations, let us continue to

press forward. We are not there yet, but if we keep looking ahead to the promise we've been given by Jesus, that He will come again to get us, then everything we've endured here on this planet will have been worth the race and the wait!!! “Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for

you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto Myself; that where I am, there ye may be also **(John 14:1-3)**.

We've been encouraged, “Don't Go Back -The Vision Continues” **(Jer. 29:10-13)**. So let us “Together Jesus”, continue to press forward.

Sis. Alice Sullivan



Oh, what peace we often forfeit. Oh, what needless pains we bear, all because we do not carry, everything to God in prayer.



The Rivers of Water Church is a missionary church with a world vision.

Love God



Be Free



Win Souls

“For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death.”

Romans 8:2



Special Prayer

- Pastor Robert Drake II and Family
- Missionaries at ROW
- Haiti Mission
- Pastor David Mugalu
- Uganda Mission
- Nigeria Mission
- Camille Carroll
- Bro. Alexeus Drake
- Sis. Kimela Johnson
- The Parker Family
- Sis. Alice Sullivan
- Sis. Brenda Sumrall
- Bro. Terance Sumrall
- Sis. Annie Wells



“Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;”

Word of Encouragement: “Free Indeed”

I thank God for the blessing of having been born in America, and I am in debt to the men and women who serve and sacrifice to preserve the liberties I enjoy. Webster defines freedom as “the quality or state of being free: such as a): the absence of necessity, coercion or constraint in choice or action, b): liberation from slavery or restraint or from the power of another: INDEPENDENCE.

It’s accurate to say that I was born free, in a societal and governmental sense. It is also true that I, like every other human being, was born bound. For the first 19 years of my life, I was in bondage to my own will, way and desires. I was lost in sin and headed for Hell, thinking I was a good person. Through a series of events and the witness of Ms. Vanessa Smith, God opened

my eyes, and I finally “heard” the Gospel. I believed and surrendered to the Lord Jesus, and He set me free. Now I, along with the entire Body of Christ, enjoy true freedom. Our freedom is independent of and impervious to the decline of culture and government. “If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed.” **John 8:36.**

Sis. Bessie Carroll



Happy Birthday

- Kaleb Harrison 10
- Aiden Johnson 10
- Gwen Strong 12
- Brenda Sumrall 23
- Brandon Gipson 25
- Kenedi McKenzie 29

Happy Anniversary

- Arthur & Kimberly Parker
26th
- Alexeus & Candica Drake
30th

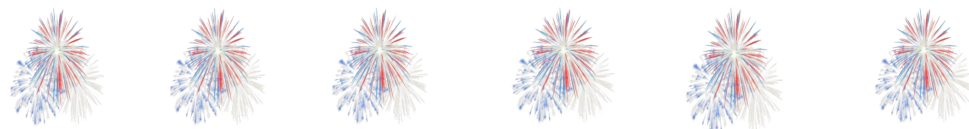
Note of Thanks

I'm thankful for a great deal of things such as the ability to walk, talk, run, breathe, and see. I am also thankful to have transportation, a roof over my head, and food to eat. In addition, I am

thankful for the ability to serve Christ and be a part of His great work of changing the world. Finally, I am thankful because I can do none of these things alone. Each and every one of

these things were given to me according to His Will, and for that I am grateful.

Bro. Eldridge Bobs



Encourage My Soul: "Waiting on the Lord"

When we are told that we have to wait, no matter what we are waiting for, it can be a bit annoying, especially if you want it right now. Sometimes we don't receive what we're hoping for, like when we're waiting for an acceptance letter and we receive a denial notice instead - but when we wait on the Lord, we will not be disappointed.

"But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint." **(Isaiah 40:31).**

We will find help in our waiting when we lift our voices to the Lord and ask for His patience and guid-

ance. "And He said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for My strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me." **(II Cor. 12:9).**

Sis. Laura Sanchez



"My country, 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty
Of thee I sing:
Land where my fathers
died,
Land of the pilgrims'
pride,
From every mountain
side
Let freedom ring!
Our fathers' God, to
Thee,
Author of liberty,
To Thee we sing:
Long may our land be
bright
With freedom's holy
light;
Protect us by Thy
might,
Great God, our King!"
"My Country Tis of
Thee"

By Samuel F. Smith—
1882





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Let us give thanks and pray for America !

